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Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 CFR 1.53(b) is the

- ☐ patent application of  
☐ continuation patent application of  
☐ divisional patent application of  
☒ continuation-in-part patent application of

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For: MICROFABRICATED ELASTOMERIC VALVE AND PUMP SYSTEMS

- ☒ This application claims priority from each of the following Application Nos./filing dates:  
U.S. Provisional Application No. 60 186,856, filed March 3, 2000, and U.S. Application No. 09 605,520, filed June 27, 2000,  
the disclosure(s) of which is (are) incorporated by reference.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 69 page(s) of specification  
☒ 5 page(s) of claims  
☒ 1 page of Abstract  
☒ 42 sheet(s) of ☐ formal ☒ informal drawing(s).  
☒ A ☐ signed ☒ unsigned Declaration.  
☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 37 CFR 1.27 ☐ is enclosed ☐ was filed in the  
 prior application and small entity status is still proper and desired.  
☐ Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97.  
☐ A petition to extend time to respond in the parent application.

**In view of the Unsigned Declaration as filed with this application and pursuant to 37 CFR §1.53(f),  
 Applicant requests deferral of the filing fee until submission of the Missing Parts of Application.**

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